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- 1. PERMDEL BELIEVES DEPARTMENTS DECISION (REFTEL) NOT TO PURSUE CAO DAI ISSUE FURTHER IS MOST PRUDENT COURSE IN VEIW VARIOUS FACTORS OF UNESCO CONTEXT.
- 2. GVN PERMREP, AMBASSADOR DINH, HAS WORKED HARD TO PROTECT BASIC GVN INTEREST OF UPHOLDING ITS CREDENTIALS

AT INEVITABLE CREDENTIALS CHALLENGES AND PREVENTING "PRG" ENCROACHMENT. ADDITIONALLY, HE BELIEVES HE HAS AN EXCELLENT WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH NEW UNESCO DIRECTOR GENERAL M'BOW (SENEGAL) AND CAN COUNT ON M'BOW FOR DISCREET BUT EFFECTIVE COOPERATION. WITHIN CONTEXT OF BIASED, OR AT BEST NON-COMMITTAL STANCE OFFICIALLY TAKEN BY MANY LDC'S TOWARDS GVN, DINH HAS DONE UTMOST TO PROTECT GVN PRESENCE BY PERSONAL CONTACT WITH VARIOUS LDC PERMREPS. DINH AND HIS STAFF ALSO CONTACT CONFIDENTIAL

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PERMDEL FREQUENTLY FOR EXCHANGE OF VIEWS AND POSSIBLE

NEWS RELATIVE TO GVN STATUS IN UNESCO. IN SUM, DINH
STRIKES PERMDEL AS DEDICATED AND QUIETLY ACTIVE PRO-
PONENT OF GVN INTERESTS.
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